SENATE BILL 2951 By Black

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 36; Title 37; Title 39 and Title 40, relative to abuse of a child.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

- SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-2-101, is amended by deleting subsection (f) in its entirety and by substituting instead the following:
 - (f) A person may be prosecuted, tried and punished at any time for an offense committed against a person under the age of eighteen (18), provided that:
 - (1) The offense was committed on or after July 1, 2006; and
 - (2) The offense constitutes a criminal offense in title 39, chapter 13, part

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SECTION 2. This act shall take effect on July 1, 2006, the public welfare requiring it.